

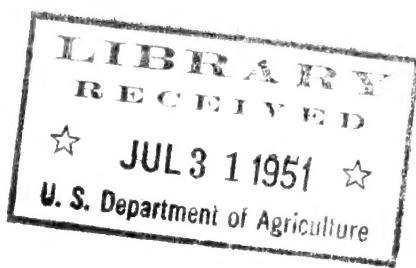
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ORCHIDS BY TURNER, INC.  
North Attleboro, Massachusetts

Many new and very beautiful hybrid Cattleya and allied genera orchids come into bloom each year. Progressive growers gradually replace older crosses with the finest of these new plants. Seedlings of any one cross may follow the characteristics of either parent or even of grandparents. Obviously then desirability and value will vary and the grower has the choice of purchasing the best at high prices or of growing his own.

For several years we have been engaged in developing our own seedling stock. We can not use all of the seedlings from each cross we make and therefore in response to inquiries from many of our seedling customers, we are offering seed in 2 flask and 10 flask packages as well as germinated seedlings in 250 c.c. and 500 c.c. flasks.

Most orchid seed should be planted as soon as possible after it is "ripe", although under proper care it should remain viable, at least up to six months. As each of our crosses becomes ready we ship out by air mail all "advance" orders for seed and will flask a part of the rest.

Realizing that many hobbyists may not care to go through all the trials and tribulations of assembling and mixing the necessary ingredients, we prepare sterile flasks (250 c.c. and 500 c.c. size) with solutions all ready for planting and provide instructions which, if carefully followed, should give you the desired results.

Included with the following descriptions are "vital statistics", i.e., date of pollination, date of harvest and date flasks are planted. We offer seed in advance of "harvest" in the belief that you would prefer to have it as soon as it is ready to be planted. We test "viability" and can determine the amount you will need in order to germinate some 250 to 300 seedlings in the large flasks and approximately one-half of that in the smaller.

With seed orders only, sterile flasks ready for planting with instructions and all necessary materials:

250 c.c.---\$1.00 each  
500 c.c.--- 1.50 each

With this offering we are starting a new series of numbers. All previous seed and flask offers are hereby cancelled. Many of the crosses we are making are between complex hybrids and very fine species, our purpose being to increase productivity and vigor. We ship only viable seed, but of course, can not guarantee your crop.

We use a rigid system of grading our plants. For so-called "commercial" quality we use no marking, or one star for the better ones. Stud quality plants are graded with two to four stars and we take into consideration, quality, texture, size, color of bloom, also vigor of plant, frequency of bloom, tendency of dividing into more than one lead, etc.



Orchids by Turner, Inc.

North Attleboro, Mass.

Orchid Seed and Seedlings in Flasks

CATTLEYA and ALLIED GENERA

#T-1 L.C. CALLISTOGLOSSA, Dixon var. X (C. TRIANAE (xxx))

Pollinated Nov. 1949

To Flasks Nov. 1950

No seed available

500 c.c. flasks-----\$15.00

Should be in community pots about

August 1, 1951

#T-2 L.C. KING GEORGE V alba (xxxx) X L. PURPURATA alba (xxx)

Pollinated June 9, 1950 Harvested April 1951

To Flasks April 1951

The King George used carried four 7" blooms pure white, well rounded sepals and petals, the lip a rich maroon purple. The PURPURATA so often used as a parent of white colored lip was a 6" bloom, excellent texture, white sepals and petals and a dark velvet purple lip. Late spring, prolific.

No seed available

500 c.c. flasks-----\$15.00

250 c.c. flasks----- 10.00

#T-3 C. MOSSIAE var. WAGNERI, LAWNACRES A.M.A.O.S. (xxxx) X Selfed

Pollinated June 23, 1950

To Flasks April 1951

The plant used was very strong growing. At the time the seed was harvested it carried a strong new lead with 4 buds just opening. Beautifully rounded positive bloom, pure white with gold in throat. Late spring.

No seed available

500 c.c. flasks-----\$20.00

250 c.c. flasks----- 12.50

SOLD OUT

#T-4 L.C. APHRODITE

(L. PURPURATA alba fine var. (xxx) X C. MENDELII alba (xxx))

Pollinated June 17, 1950 Harvested April 1951 To Flasks May 1951

The Mendelii excellent texture 6" bloom pure white sepals and petals, soft lavender fringed lip. The PURPURATA described above. Spring.

Flasks

250 c.c.-----\$10.00

500 c.c.----- 15.00

Seed

2 flask pkg.-----\$4.00

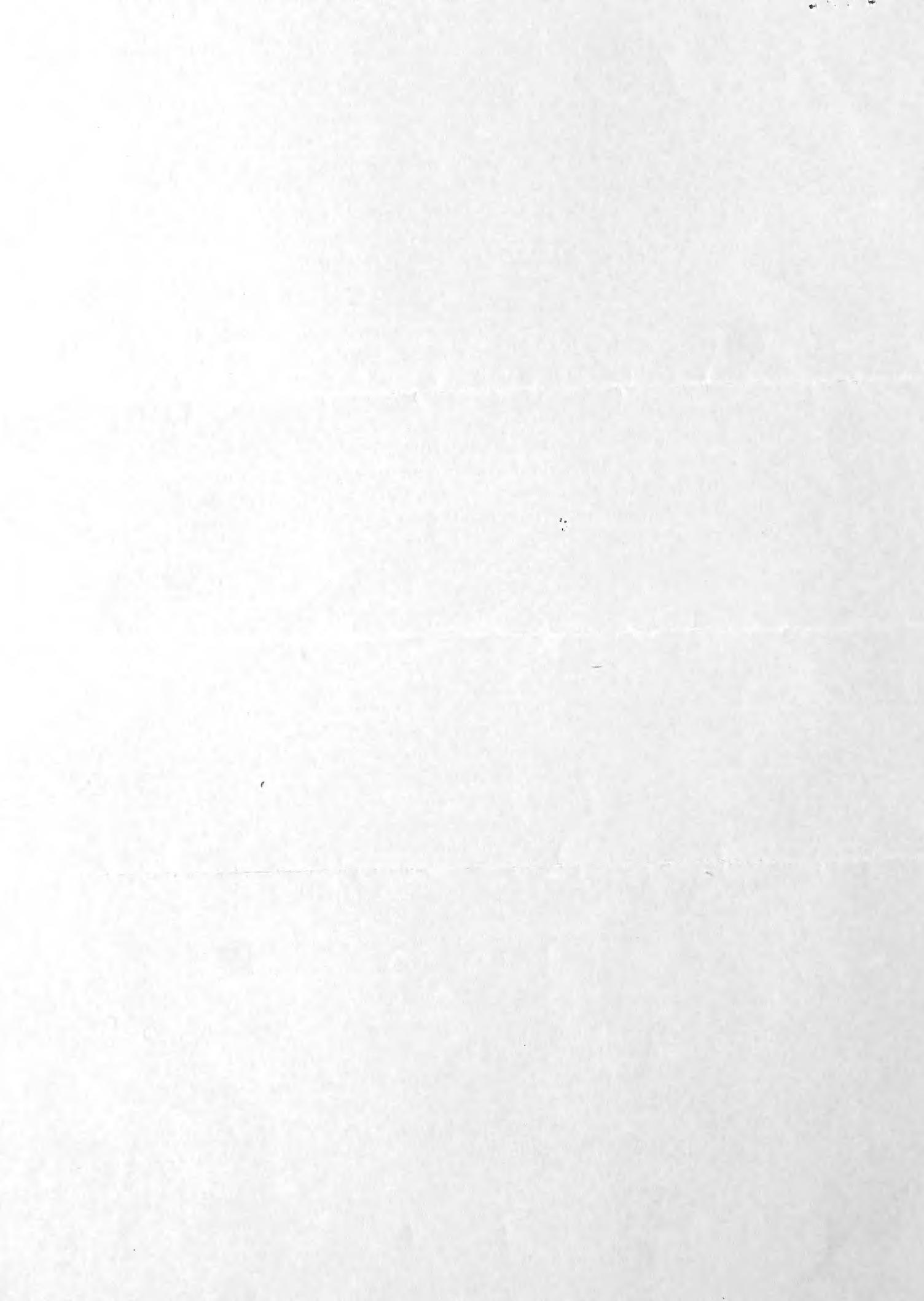
10 flask pkg.-----10.00

#T-5 C. FREDA SANDER

(C. Mossiae Wagneri Lawnacres (xxxx) A.M.A.O.S. X C. MYRA PETERS (xxx))

Pollinated July 4, 1950 Harvested -----

To Flasks -----



#T-5 (cont.) C. FREDA SANDER

Both heavy textured pure white. The Myra Peters practically no yellow in lip. Here we're hoping for crisp pure white 6" - 7" blooms with mossiae vigor. For May and June weddings and should be prolific.

<u>Flasks</u>	<u>Seed</u>
250 c.c.-----\$17.50	2 flask pkg.-----\$7.50
500 c.c.----- 25.00	10 flask pkg.-----18.00

#T-6 L.C. CARMENCITA (xxx) X B.L.C. MIRANDA (xxx)

Pollinated Sept. 1, 1950      Harvested -----      To Flasks-----

Carmencita canary yellow sepals and petals with open maroon lip. The Miranda soft greenish yellow large fringed purple lip. Should be a very colorful brasso for fall.

<u>Flasks</u>	<u>Seeds</u>
250 c.c.----- \$17.50	2 flask pkg.-----\$7.50
500 c.c.----- 25.00	10 flask pkg.-----18.00

#T-8 C. COOKSONI alba (xxx) X C. COOKSONI alba (xxx )

Pollinated Oct. 2, 1950      Harvested -----      To Flasks-----

Fine white with purple lip, well held blooms 3 and 4 per sheath. For fall weddings.

<u>Flasks</u>	<u>Seeds</u>
250 c.c.----- \$12.50	2 flask pkg.-----\$4.00
500 c.c.----- 20.00	10 flask pkg.-----10.00

#T-9 L. C. SUTTERS GOLD

(L. C. Carmencita (xxx) X C. Mrs. Medo (xxx))

Pollinated Oct. 25, 1950      Harvested-----      To Flasks -----

The Carmencita described above. Mrs. Medo a lemon yellow heavy texture full dark lip. For fall.

<u>Flasks</u>	<u>Seeds</u>
250 c.c.-----\$15.00	2 flask pkg.-----\$7.50
500 c.c.----- 25.00	10 flask pkg.-----18.00

#T-10 L. C. SERBIA (xxxx) X L.C. MEM. ERNEST B. DANE (xxxx)(L.C. Cassandra X Hillary)

Pollinated Nov. 10, 1950      Harvested-----      To Flasks-----

Serbia large dark flower 7", very dark lip. The Ernest B. Dane also very dark, should be very dark, heavy texture. For fall.

<u>Flasks</u>	<u>Seeds</u>
250 c.c.-----\$12.50	2 flask pkg.-----\$4.00
500 c.c.----- 20.00	10 flask pkg.-----10.00



#T-11 Reverse cross of T-10 above. Same prices.

#T-12 S.L.C. EDIMONA (xxx) X L.C. CAR MENCITA (xxx)

Pollinated Nov. 10, 1950      Harvested ----- To Flasks-----

The Edimona had 3" - 4" blooms, brilliant red, bronze and yellow.

The Carmencita described above. Our grower won a \$1.00 bet on this one. We didn't believe he could get a seed pod. At this writing the pod is firm and green and should be ripe in early fall. We're looking forward to strongly colored medium sized blooms for fall.

#T-13 C. CAMERONIAN (xxx) X L.C. NELLA fine var. (xx)

Pollinated Dec. 5, 1950      Harvested----- To Flasks-----

The Cameronian is an extremely showy flower, cerise suffused with white, luminous. Nella a very fine dark, should give us brilliant coloring for late fall.

Flasks

250 c.c.-----\$15.00  
500 c.c.----- 25.00

Seeds

2 flask pkg.-----\$7.50  
10 flask pkg.-----18.00

